



LOWESTOFT PORT HEALTH AUTHORITY

ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR

1968

Date from	Number	Tonnage	By the Medical Officer of Health		Number of ships reported as having or having had during the voyage infectious diseases on board
			By the Medical Officer of Health	By the Port Health Inspector	
1968	106	131,503	Nil	79	Nil
1967	571	67,055	Nil	4	Nil
1966	497	192,563	Nil	79	Nil



TABLE A

SECTION I - STAFF

Name of Officer	Nature of Appointment	Date of Appointment	Qualifications	Any other appointments held
Arthur C. Gee	Port Medical Officer of Health	1.1.49	M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.P.H.	Area Medical Officer of Health, E.S.C.C.
H. Cormack	Chief Port Health Inspector	6.9.52	Cert. S.I.B., M.A.P.H.I.	Chief Public Health Inspector
F.G.S. Hill	Deputy Port Health Inspector	3.1.55	Cert. S.I.B.	Deputy Chief Public Health Inspector

Address and telephone number of the Medical Officer of Health - Public Health Department, Clapham Road, Lowestoft.
Telephone No. - Lowestoft 2171.

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TABLE B

SECTION II - Amount of Shipping Entering the District during the Year

Ships from	Number	Tonnage	Number Inspected		Number of ships reported as having or having had during the voyage infectious disease on board.
			By the Medical Officer of Health	By the Port Health Inspector	
Foreign Ports	626	131,503	NIL	75	NIL
Coastwise	371	60,859	NIL	4	NIL
TOTAL	997	192,362	NIL	79	NIL

TABLE B

SECTION II BRITISH FISHING VESSELS - Number of Landings by British Fishing Vessels Made in the Port during the Year

	Landings	Approx. Tonnage	Inspections
TRAWLERS	2,055	23,597	1,449
DRIFFERS	17	6	
TOTAL	2,072	23,603	

TABLE C

SECTION III Character of Shipping and Trade during the Year

PASSENGER TRAFFIC:

Number of Passengers INWARDS - Nil
Number of Passengers OUTWARDS - Nil

Principal IMPORTS - Cereal, Peas, Timber, Roadstone, Oil, Spirit, Asbestos Fibre, Fertiliser, Various Chemicals.

Principal EXPORTS - Barley, Oil, Various Chemicals, Steel Tubes, Car Parts, Sheep and Cattle.

Principal Ports from which Ships arrive:

HOLLAND	- Rotterdam Ijmuiden, Amsterdam
RUSSIA	- Leningrad, Archangel
SWEDEN	- Gelfe, Norsundet, Hudiksvall, Stutskar, Norrköping, Munkö
FINLAND	- Mantylä, Katka
POLAND	- Gdansk
BRAZIL	- Paranaguá
CYPRUS	- Limassol
BELGIUM	- Antwerp, Ostend

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SECTION IV - INLAND BARGE TRAFFIC

Numbers and Tonnage using the district and places served by the traffic

Nil.

SECTION V - WATER SUPPLY

No Change

SECTION VI - PUBLIC HEALTH (SHIPS) REGULATIONS 1952-1961

No Change.

SECTION VII - SMALLPOX

No Change.

SECTION VIII - VENEREAL DISEASE

No Change.

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No Change.

SECTION VII - SMALLPOX

No Change.

SECTION VI - FUGITIVE NEGROES (SHIPS) 1925-1929

No Change

SECTION V - WATER SUPPLY

Nil.

Numbers and Tonnage using the district and places served by the railways

SECTION IV - INLAND STEAM TRAFFIC

TABLE D SECTION IX - CASES OF NOTIFIABLE AND OTHER INFECTIOUS DISEASES ON SHIPS

Category	Disease	Number of cases during the year		Number of ships concerned
		Passengers	Crew	
Cases landed from ships from foreign ports.	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Cases which have occurred on ships from foreign ports but have been disposed of before arrival.	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Cases landed from other ships	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil

SECTION X OBSERVATIONS OF THE OCCURRENCE OF MALARIA IN SHIPS

No occurrence of this disease.

SECTION XI MEASURES TAKEN AGAINST SHIPS INFECTED WITH OR SUSPECTED FOR PLAGUE

No occurrence of this disease.

SECTION XII - MEASURES AGAINST RODENTS IN SHIPS FROM FOREIGN PORTS

No Change.

TABLE E RODENTS DESTROYED DURING THE YEAR IN SHIPS FROM FOREIGN PORTS

Nil - Not an approved Port.

TABLE F DERATTING CERTIFICATES AND DERATTING EXEMPTION CERTIFICATES ISSUED DURING THE YEAR FOR SHIPS FROM FOREIGN PORTS

Nil - Not an approved Port.



TABLE G

SECTION XIII - INSPECTION OF SHIPS FOR NUISANCE

INSPECTION AND NOTICES

Nature of Inspections	Number Inspected	Notices served		Result of Serving Notices
		Statutory Notices	Other Notices	
Foreign Shipping	75	Nil	5	<p>These concerned:-</p> <p>Choked drainage outlets (2)</p> <p>Deratization certificate out of date (3)</p>
Coastwise Shipping	4	Nil	Nil	<p>Choked drains were cleared and instructions given to renew deratization exemption certificates at approved ports.</p>
British Fishing Vessels	1,449	Nil	64	<p>These concerned:-</p> <p>Dirty galleys (9)</p> <p>Dirty bedding (11)</p> <p>Defective W.C.'s (2)</p> <p>Water tanks needing cleansing (41)</p> <p>Defective wash basins (1)</p> <p>All the notices were complied with.</p>

SECTION XIV - PUBLIC HEALTH (SHELL FISH) REGULATIONS, 1934 and 1948.
NIL
SECTION XV - MEDICAL INSPECTION OF ALIENS (APPLICABLE TO PORTS APPROVED FOR LANDING ALIENS).
Not an approved Port
SECTION XVI - MISCELLANEOUS (ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE BURIAL ON SHORE OF PERSONS WHO HAVE DIED ON BOARD FROM INFECTIOUS DISEASE).
No change

